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4 MAY 1967 STAT Re: G-9021 STAT Dear In reference to your letter of 5 January 1967 to concerning the determination of rights involving an invention between **STAT** a Government employee, and the this Agency's Patents Board has ruled that "All commercial rights and title to the subject invention be granted to the co-inventors, subject to the reservation that the Government be granted a royalty-free license." This ruling is based on the assumption that the disclosed invention is patentable and is in accordance with Code of the Federal Regulations, Title 37, Chapter III, Section 300.6(b)(1), (2), and (3). Taken into consideration official duties and assignments as they apply to Section STAT 300.6(b)(1), (2), and (3) and the Government sponsorship of a program which aided in the conception of this invention. This, it is felt, requires the granting of a royalty-free license to the Government. When a patent application is filed, please send us the serial number and filling date in order that we may prepare and submit for execution a confirmatory license to the Government. cc:iORD Sincerely, STAT TSD STAT OGC

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